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An Article of Special Interest to the Rewspaper Fraternity in Michigan Annual Meeting and Attendant Fee tryities.

Bro. Editors and Publishers.

The seventeenth annual meeting of the Michigan Press Association will be held at Bay City, commencing on Tuesday, June 24th. The following papers will be read before the Association:

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The Law of Libel—A. G. Boynton, Detroit Free Press.

Relation of the Press to Social and Moral Reforms—A. S. Kedzie, Grand Haven Herald.
Mechanism of a Newspaper—Wm VanBuren, Lahsing Republican.
Practical Points in Publishing—M. D. Hamilton, Monroe Commercial.

Relation of the Newspaper to politics—A. P. Aldrich, Coldwater Republican.
The Country Editor as a business man—D. B. Ainger, Charlotte Republican.
Legal Advertising—George M. Dewey, Owesso Times.

What I Know of a Country Newspaper—H. C. Kudner, Lapeer Democrat.
Editorial Class Meeting—Wm P. Nisbett, Big Rapids Herald, and Geo. F. Lewis, Bay City Moraing Call, class leaders.
All papers will be open for discussion. The first quoted is of vital concern to every publisher in the state, and at this meeting steps will be taken which it is hoped will solve the knotty problem and prove highly heneficial to the frate with hoped will solve the knotty problem and prove highly beneficial to the fraternity. The classmeeting session, in which every editor is expected to relate some humorous or pathetic reminiscence, will undeubtedly prove a very refreshing er-

der.

The Michigan Central and Detroit, Mackinac & Marquette railroad companies have extended the courtesies of their road to the association for an excursion to Mackinac Island and Marquette, which will begin Wednesday afternoon. Ample time will be given the excursionists to take in Michigan's "iron city," the beautiful Isle of Mackinac and other points of special interest, and then reach their respective homes Saturday night. From advices already received we surmise that the people of Bay City, Cheboygan. Mackinac Islana, St. Ignace and Marquette, have a mighty fine opinion of newspaper men, and the quilldrivers will be tendered receptions at these places that will surprise em.

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Active preparations, with the view to making this meeting and excursion the most profitable, interesting and pleasant ever held in the history of the Association, have been in progress several months, and the indications all point to the fact that it will be a success in the strongest meaning of the term. Every bona fide editor and publisher in the state, with his wife or girl, is cordially invited to attend this meeteng and join the excursion. Special proisions for the transportation and entertainment of the ladies have been provided.

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The official circular will be out in about a week, but every editor who contemplates attending is requested to forward a postal, immediately, to A. McMillan president, Bay City, or the undersigned, and to give the meeting all the publicity possible in his publication.

> Yourse fraternally, ORN O STRONG, Sec'y Mich. Press Association,

How it Looks to Outsiders The following is an extract from S. C. Brown's editor of the North western Tribune, Mt. Pleasant, account of his recent trip to Northern Michigan; "From Grayling we went to Indian River; a new and flourishing village on a short river of the same name, connecting Burt and Mullet lakes. This river is navigable for small steam crafts and during the season is the medium through which steamers pass from Cheboygan to Petoskey. At this place we met several old friends—F. E. Martin, Graves, McHenry and Waldorff, of Gratiot county. In the immediate vicinity it is not a good farming country, but west and south of here is a very fair agricultural district. F. E. Martin has worked up a fine trade in general une, Mt. Pleasant, account of his recent west and south of here is a very fair agricultural district. F. E. Martin has worked up a fine trade in general merchandise and drugs. Mr Waldorff is running a saloon and billiard hall and is having a fine trade. We enjoyed a pleasant visit with our old Gratiot county friends and departed for Cheboygan, situated at the mouth of Cheboygan River, where it empties into the Straits of Mackinac. It has a population of about 4000 and has a very fine harbor. Business seems to be lively and every interest prospering. It is an important shipping point, and a great pleasure resert. There are a number of hotels here and we learn that during the summer season they have a large patronage. The principle hotel is the Grand Central, kept by J. M. French, and is one of the finest and best regulated hotels in the north. At this place we saw our old friend, Senator Bell, who, with his partner Mr. Adams is having a lacrative law practice.

From the range light tower we had a good view of Fort Mackinac and Bois Blanc Island. Topinabee, 12 miles south of Cheboygan, on Mullet Lake, is a fine summer resort, and the arrangements are being made to put up some fine buildings there this season.

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